## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-71 (canceled)

Claim 72 (currently amended): An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding a protein differentially expressed in mast cells activated through the IgE receptor and suppresses the release of mediators from mast cells, wherein the nucleic acid molecule hybridizes under stringent conditions to the complement of a nucleic acid encoding SEQ ID NO: 2 under conditions selected from the group consisting of: (1) hybridization in 0.015 M NaCl/0.0015 M sodium citrate/0.1% SDS at 50°C; (2) hybridization in 50% (vol/vol) formamide with 0.1% bovine serum albumin/0.1% Ficoll/0.1% polyvinylpyrrolidone/50 mM sodium phosphate buffer at pH 6.5 with 750 mM NaCl, 75 mM sodium citrate at 42°C; and (3) hybridization in 50% formamide, 5× SSC (0.75 M NaCl, 0.075 M sodium citrate), 50 mM sodium phosphate (pH 6.8), 0.1% sodium pyrophosphate, 5× Denhardt's solution, sonicated salmon sperm DNA (50 µg/ml), 0.1% SDS, and 10% dextran sulfate at 42°C, with washes at 42°C in 0.2× SSC and 0.1% SDS.

Claim 73 (currently amended): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the nucleic acid molecules hybridizes to the complement of a nucleic acid comprising SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 74 (previously presented): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the nucleic acid molecule encodes SEQ ID NO: 2.

Claim 75 (previously presented): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 74, wherein the nucleic acid molecule comprises SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 76 (previously presented): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the nucleic acid molecule comprises nucleotides 25-432 of SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 77 (previously presented): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the nucleic acid molecule consists of nucleotides 25-432 of SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 78 (previously presented): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the nucleic acid molecule comprises nucleotides 25-429 of SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 79 (canceled)

Claim 80 (currently amended): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 72-78 79, wherein said nucleic acid molecule is operably linked to one or more expression control elements.

Claim 81 (currently amended): A host cell transformed to contain the nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 72-78 79.

Claim 82 (currently amended): A vector comprising an isolated nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 72-78 79.

Claim 83 (currently amended): A An isolated host cell comprising the vector of claim 82.

Claim 84 (currently amended): The host cell of claim 83, wherein said host <u>cell</u> is selected from the group consisting of prokaryotic host cells and eukaryotic host cells.

Claim 85 (currently amended): A method for producing a polypeptide comprising culturing a host cell transformed with the nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 72-78 79 under conditions in which the protein encoded by said nucleic acid molecule is expressed.

Claim 86 (currently amended): A method of claim 85, wherein said host cell is selected from the group consisting of prokaryotic host cells and eukaryotic host cells.

Claim 87 (currently amended): A composition comprising an isolated nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 72-78 79 and an aqueous carrier.

Claim 88 (new): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 72, wherein the mediators are lipid mediators or cytokines.

Claim 89 (new): An isolated nucleic acid molecule that hybridizes to the complement of a nucleic acid encoding SEQ ID NO: 2 under conditions selected from the group consisting of: (1) hybridization in 0.015 M NaCl/0.0015 M sodium citrate/0.1% SDS at 50°C; (2) hybridization in 50% (vol/vol) formamide with 0.1% bovine serum albumin/0.1% Ficoll/0.1% polyvinylpyrrolidone/50 mM sodium phosphate buffer at pH 6.5 with 750 mM NaCl, 75 mM sodium citrate at 42°C; and (3) hybridization in 50% formamide, 5× SSC (0.75 M NaCl, 0.075 M sodium citrate), 50 mM sodium phosphate (pH 6.8), 0.1% sodium pyrophosphate, 5× Denhardt's solution, sonicated salmon sperm DNA (50 µg/ml), 0.1% SDS, and 10% dextran sulfate at 42°C. with washes at 42°C in 0.2× SSC and 0.1% SDS.

Claim 90 (new): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 89 comprising at least 18 nucleotides.

Claim 91 (new): An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising at least 18 nucleotides of SEQ ID NO: 1.

Claim 92 (new): An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 91 consisting essentially of 18 nucleotides.